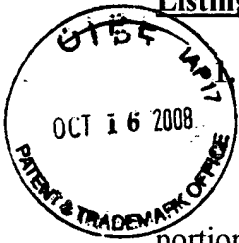


This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:



(Currently Amended): A sexual enhancement device comprising:
a distally disposed phallic portion containing a vibrator therein;
an attached proximally disposed loop portion made of an elastomeric material, said loop portion comprising a proximal portion, a distal portion and two ~~symmetrically disposed~~ lateral portions disposed therebetween, whereby said proximal portion, said lateral portions and said distal portion have a common innermost surface that defines an opening having ~~a length, a~~ an original width, an original length substantially greater than said width, and a perimeter at least five inches long, whereby upon introduction of a cylindrical object having a diameter greater than said width and a circumference less than said perimeter into said opening, ~~said length decreases,~~ said width increases, said length decreases, while said perimeter remains substantially the same and a free space remains between said innermost surface and the surface of said cylindrical object, whereupon removal of said cylindrical object said opening reassumes said original width and said original length, and

a controller that functions to turn said vibrator on and off.

2. (Original): The device of claim 1, wherein said controller is disposed remotely from said device.
3. (Original): The device of claim 2, wherein said controller is connected to said vibrator by electric wires.
4. (Original): The device of claim 1, wherein a means is provided for the attachment of a harness.
5. (Original): The device of claim 4, wherein said means comprises an opening.
6. (Currently Amended): The device of claim 1, wherein said phallic portion is substantially round in cross-section, has a spherical radius at its distal end and is at least 3 inches long.
7. (Currently Amended): The device of claim ~~[[6]]~~ 1, wherein said vibrator is disposed in a proximal end of said phallic portion adjacent said loop portion.

8. (Original): The device of claim 6, wherein said controller is located within said phallic portion and at least a portion of said phallic portion is detachable from a remaining portion thereby providing access to a battery compartment.

9. (Original): The device of claim 1, wherein said perimeter is at least 6.0 inches long.

10. (Currently Amended): The device of claim [[9]] 1, wherein said elastomeric material is substantially round in cross-section with a diameter of at least .5 inch along a majority of its length.

11. (Currently Amended): The device of claim [[9]] 1, wherein said width is less than 1.2 inches, ~~said loop portion being substantially teardrop shaped.~~

12. (Original): The device of claim 10, wherein said elastomeric material is tubular.

13. (Original): The device of claim 12, wherein said tubular material has a kink in said proximal portion.

14. (Currently Amended): The device of claim 9, additionally comprising a constraining [[ring]] means that encircles and constrains a portion of said loop portion thereby effecting a reduction in said opening.

15. (Original): The device of claim 6, said device being bilaterally symmetrical to both a first plane of symmetry and a perpendicularly disposed second plane of symmetry.

16. (Original): The device of claim 15, wherein at least a portion of said second plane of symmetry is curved.

17. (Original): The device of claim 8, said device additionally including an electric switch.

18. (Original): The device of claim 17, wherein said switch is actuated by rotating at least a portion of said detachable portion relative to said remaining portion.

19. (Original): A sexual enhancement device comprising:

a phallic portion containing a vibrator therein, said phallic portion having a proximal end with a recess therein;

a separable loop portion comprising a proximal portion and two lateral portions that converge at a distal portion, said portions having a common innermost surface that defines an opening having a length and a perimeter, said distal portion being configured to snugly fit at varying

depths into said recess whereupon a portion of said loop portion is constrained by said recess thereby effecting a reduction in said length and, consequently, said perimeter of said opening.

20. (Original): The device of claim 19, said phallic portion and said loop portion including cooperative retaining means.

21. (Currently Amended): The device of claim 20, wherein said cooperative retaining means comprises a groove ~~in said recess~~ and a rib ~~on said distal portion~~ whereby said rib is configured to snugly seat in said groove.

22. (Currently Amended): The device of claim 20, ~~said recess including an additional groove, said rib being configured to snugly fit in either of said grooves thereby effecting an adjustment in said opening.~~ 21, including additional grooves and/or ribs thereby providing a means to selectively adjust said length and perimeter of said opening.

23. (Original): The device of claim 19, wherein said recess includes a female screw thread and said distal portion includes a mating male screw thread.

24. (Original): The device of claim 23, whereby variably engaging said screw threads causes varying portions of said lateral portions to enter and be constrained by said recess thereby enabling a variable adjustment in the size of said opening.

25. (Original): The device of claim 19, said perimeter having a length of at least 6.0 inches.

26. (Original): A sexual enhancement device comprising:

a distally disposed phallic portion containing a vibrator therein, said phallic portion being at least 3.0 inches long and round in cross section along its length and having a spherical radius at a distal end; and

an attached proximally disposed loop portion made of an elastomeric material and having an opening with a perimeter at least 6.0 inches long.

27. (Original): The device of claim 26, wherein said opening has a width less than 1.2 inches.

28. (Original): The device of claim 26, wherein a remotely disposed controller is connected to said vibrator by electric wires.

29. (Original): The device of claim 26, wherein said phallic portion contains a battery compartment.

30. (Original): The device of claim 26, wherein said elastomeric material is round in cross-section and has a diameter of at least .5 inch.

31. (Original): The device of claim 30, wherein said elastomeric material is tubular.

32. (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a sexual enhancement device comprising:
providing a phallic portion containing a vibrator therein;
also providing a cylinder made of an elastomeric material whereby said cylinder is bent such that its ends converge thereby forming a substantially teardrop or football shaped loop; and
attaching said ends of said loop to a proximal end of said phallic portion by means.

33. (Withdrawn): The method of claim 32, wherein said phallic portion is round in cross-section and is at least 3.0 inches long.

34. (Withdrawn): The method of claim 32, wherein said phallic portion includes a battery compartment.

35. (Withdrawn): The method of claim 32, wherein said means comprises inserting said ends into a recess in a proximal end of said phallic portion.

36. (Withdrawn): The method of claim 35, wherein said means additionally comprises applying an adhesive between said ends and said recess.

37. (Withdrawn): The method of claim 32, wherein said cylinder is tubular.

38. (Withdrawn): The method of claim 37, wherein a kink is formed in a proximal portion of said loop.

39. (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a sexual enhancement device comprising:
providing a phallic portion containing a vibrator therein, said phallic portion having a recess in its proximal end;
also providing a loop portion having a proximal portion, two lateral portions and a distal portion, said portions having a common innermost surface that defines an opening with a perimeter at least 6.0 inches long, and
inserting said distal portion into said recess.

40. The method of claim 39, wherein said recess includes an annular groove and said distal portion includes an annular rib whereby said rib is seated in said groove.

41. (Withdrawn): The method of claim 39, wherein said recess includes a female screw thread and said distal portion includes a mating male screw thread, said inserting involving screwing.

42. (Withdrawn): The method of claim 39, additionally comprising adding an adhesive between said recess and said distal portion.

43. (Currently Amended): A sexual enhancement device comprising:

a loop portion made of an elastomeric material, said loop portion comprising a proximal portion, a distal portion and two ~~symmetrically disposed~~ lateral portions disposed therebetween, whereby said proximal portion, said lateral portions and said distal portion have a common innermost surface that defines an opening having ~~a length~~, a width, a length greater than said width, and a perimeter[[,]] at least 5.0 inches long, whereby upon introduction of a cylindrical object having a diameter greater than said width and a circumference less than said perimeter into said opening, ~~said length decreases~~, said width increases, said length decreases, while said perimeter remains substantially the same and a free space remains between said innermost surface and the surface of said cylindrical object, and

said distal portion including retaining means for retaining an attachment comprising a vibrator.

44. (Original): The device of claim 43, wherein said length is at least 1.5 times greater than said width.

45. (Original): The device of claim 44, wherein said perimeter is at least 6.0 inches long.

46. (Currently Amended): The device of claim 43, wherein said retaining means comprises a ~~recess having~~ a groove.

47. (Canceled)

48. (Original): The device of claim 43, wherein said retaining means comprises a rib.

49. (Canceled)

50. (Currently Amended): The device of claim 43, wherein a major part of said lateral portions has a cross-section dimension of at least .5 inch ~~are round in cross-section~~.

51. (Original): The device of claim 50, wherein said lateral portions are tubular.

52. (Currently Amended): The device of claim 43, said device additionally including a phallic portion containing a vibrator therein, said phallic portion attached to said loop portion by said retaining means[[,]] and comprising a switch that functions to turn said vibrator on and off, ~~whereby rotating said loop portion relative to said phallic portion actuates a switch.~~

53. (New): The device of claim 52 wherein said loop portion and said phallic portion comprise cooperative anti-slipping means that enable actuation of said switch upon rotating said loop portion relative to said phallic portion.

54. (New): A sexual enhancement device comprising:

a loop portion made of an elastomeric material and comprising a proximal portion, a distal portion and two lateral portions disposed therebetween, whereby said proximal, distal, and lateral portions have a common innermost surface that defines an opening having an original shape comprising a width, a length greater than said width, and a perimeter, whereupon introduction of a cylindrical object having a circumference of five inches into said opening said lateral portions bilaterally contact said cylindrical object and said opening acquires a new shape whereby said width increases, said length decreases, while said perimeter remains substantially the same and a free space remains between said innermost surface and the surface of said cylindrical object such that said cylindrical object is not substantially circumferentially constricted by said loop portion and said cylindrical object remains equally slidable in either direction within said opening, and whereupon removal of said cylindrical object said opening returns to said original shape, and

an adjoined means for imparting vibrations to said loop portion.

55. (New): The device of claim 54 wherein a majority of said loop portion comprises a cross-sectional dimension of at least .5 inches.

56. (New): The device of claim 54, wherein said lateral portions are tubular.

57. (New): The device of claim 54 wherein said perimeter is at least 6 inches long.

58. (New): The device of claim 57 additionally comprising an adjustable constraining means that encircles and constrains said lateral portions adjacent said distal portion whereby a reduction in said width, length and perimeter is effected by adjusting said constraining means toward said proximal portion and, conversely, an increase in said width, length and perimeter is effected by adjusting said constraining means away from said proximal portion.